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FOURTH YEAR.

MASSILLON, O., TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1891.

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New and Complete stock in all the very
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For any case of chapped hands, face, lumps,
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A CUTTING TIME

Though our winter trade has been exceptionally good and we
are not to be found among the mourners, yet we have a few
goods we want to sell and the sooner they are sold the better we
shall feel. We must begin to plan for the spring campaign, and
want room and money to carry out the plans we formulate. To
secure these two essentials we have

CUT THE HEADS OFF

the prices on our entire stock of Overcoats, Heavy Suits, Gloves,
Caps, Underwear, etc. They must make way for our spring pur-
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JUST RECEIVED
A NEW LOT OF
Blue Black and Fancy Cheviots
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Cases, Ladies Catinets and Desks, Music Cabinets, Foot Rests,
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MANY STYLES TO SELECT FROM,
All of which will be sold at the very lowest cash prices. Call and examine
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All Class of Goods in their
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Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minich blocks
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New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street

Where he will be prepared to show to the public
the finest work in his line. He has the latest

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New Shirts, 13c, 2 for 25c. Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c.
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tended to. P. O. Box, 47.

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Best Goods and Lowest Prices
GO TO
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14 lbs. G. Sugar.....\$1 00

15 lbs A Sugar.....1 00

16 lbs Light Brown Sugar....1 00

Arbuckles Coffee.....25

Dannamiller coffee.....25

Lion coffee.....25

All Leading Brands Coffee, 25

5 cans best Peaches.....\$1 00

6 cans best Apricots.....1 00

12 cans Tomatoes.....1 00

Good Broom.....10

Golden drip Syrup per gal....35

Good Tea Per Pound 25

All other goods proportionally low.

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TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio, Tuesday, fair;

warmer.

David Snyder is in Mansfield.

Mrs. L. Ellery is visiting in Cleveland.

Mrs. Wm. Weaver is visiting her sister

in Canton this week.

J. S. Marquis, piano tuner, will be in

Massillon about Feb. 1.

Philip Huber, of Akron, is the guest of

his cousin, Henry Huber.

Dr. S. P. Barnes has been called to

Dell Royton professional business.

Mrs. Jos. Sprenger fell on an icy walk

yesterday severely injuring her head.

Miss Mamie M. Brown is spending a

week in the country with her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, from south

of the city, are guests of E. J. Wernet.

The Harmonia band is preparing for a

concert to be given in the near future.

H. R. Bennett, of Navarre, and Jake

Simon, of Canton, were in the city to-day.

Stauffer Shanks and Harry Winterhalter,

of Canton, spent last evening calling in

this city.

The marriage of Joseph Wantz to Mary

Wentzel, occurred at 8 o'clock this morn-

ing in St. Mary's.

The earnings of the W. & L. E., in

1889, were \$91,070; in 1890, \$1,162,748;

increase, \$249,673.

Louis Moser has not resigned his pos-

ition with Dielhenn Brothers, as stated in

the last night's paper.

Elizabeth Whipple has been appointed

administratrix of the estate of George

Miller of Jackson township.

James A. Hackett will leave this even-

ing to visit Piqua and Cincinnati, where

furniture exhibits will be given for a

week.

Dr. J. F. Gardner has returned from a

week's sojourn in Cleveland, where he

attended a series of operations by Dr.

Weber.

At the Hotel Conrad: L. C. Royer, of

Dayton; Charles R. Frazer, Canton; Geo

B. Wright, agent of the Broom-maker

company.

Sneak thieves entered Willenborg &

Braun's slaughter house, last night, re-

moving pudding, sausage and other port-

able property.

Mrs. Joseph K. Russell, the Misses

Russell and Mrs. V. S. Russell will give

a large reception Friday afternoon, from

3 to 5 o'clock.

J. J. Clark, of Canton, is conspicuous

among the candidates for commander of

the Grand Army of the Republic, de-

partment of Ohio.

Joseph Ess and Frank Clementz have

gone to Cleveland and from there, with

Mr. Clementz's sister, will go to Sharon,

Pa., for a short vacation.

John H. Willia msis not at the Galion

convention of the Knights of Labor,

which convenes to-day. E. Gleitsman,

the other delegate, is present.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder, of

Quality Hill, a daughter. In conse-

quence of this happy event, visitors at

the office of Hess, Snyder & Co. all enjoy

fragrant Havanas, to-day.

Jacob Poorman, a well known and

prominent farmer living five miles

southwest of this city, has just com-

pleted an elegant residence, which is

now occupied. Mrs. C. Poorman,

mother of Mr. Poorman and Mrs. Graham,

of this place, is one of the occu-

pants.

W. H. Brown, late of Devizes, Eng-

land, took a position yesterday, in Rus-

sell & Co.'s engineering department,

having come directly from Great Britain

to Massillon, for that

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 1891

This Date in History—Jan. 20.
1815—Death of Rudolph II; born 1582.
1700—Birth of Frederick, prince of Wales; died 1751.
1716—Birth of Jean Jacques Barthélémy (author of "Young Anacharsis"); died 1793.
1728—Birth of Richard Henry Lee, American statesman; died 1794.
1784—Birth of Robert Morris, American financier; died 1806.
1742—Death of Emperor Charles JOHN HOWARD, VII; born 1697.
1790—Death of John Howard, philanthropist; born 1726.
1807—Birth of Nathaniel P. Willis, American author and journalist; died 1867.
1814—Birth of David Wilmot, statesman and author of the Wilmot Proviso.
1841—Hong Kong ceded to Great Britain by the Chinese authorities, and \$6,000,000 agreed to be paid as an indemnity to England.
1870—Cost of the Franco-Prussian war announced as £33,400,000.
1870—Death of Jean Francois Millet at Barbizon, France; celebrated artist; aged 60.



Tom Reed, Tom Reed the magnificent, is the kind of a presiding officer the people like.

Talleyrand said, "What I have been taught I have forgotten; what I know I have guessed."

THE INDEPENDENT extends to the Bucyrus Telegraph renewed assurances of its most distinguished consideration. It values the good words of a good contemporary.

Congressman Seney's Democratic paper, the Columbus Post, says that the penitentiary trouble has reached that point when it becomes a necessity that there be a thorough investigation. The Campbells have come,

For the benefit of the subscriber who always wants to know, and who failed to find the word cloture in the dictionary, THE INDEPENDENT will say that it is from the French, and means the same as closure—that is, as applied in these days of prolonged deliberation, cutting off of debate. The use of the word is largely an affectation, as English words answer the same purposes.

It is high time for the Republican senators to upset the musty traditions of the senate, governing unlimited debate. When "the greatest parliamentary body in the world" sits in session for thirty hours, not deliberating in fact, or transacting business, but merely victimized by traditions, to the end that a certain measure, offensive to some members, many not come up for disposal, it is time to cry halt. This is a field for action, and the ridiculous conduct of the pompous old senate, is simply preposterous when styled in earnest as "deliberative." Obstructive is the word.

Mr. McKinley, during the campaign, gave us some wholesome truth as to the effect of the tariff on farm products and Canada. Mr. McKinley necessarily had to speak in the future tense, but the Oswego Palladium is able to corroborate his glance ahead, with a statement of fact:

"Mr. Jerry Heagerty arrived home from Canada to-day where he bought 1,000 bushels of potatoes for the Oswego market. The average price paid was 40 cents a bushel. The duty upon the potatoes is 25 cents a bushel and the freight 15 cents a bushel. The potatoes will retail for about 85 cents a bushel. Who pays the duty tax and freight? The Canadian farmer. Mr. Heagerty, or the consumer?"

Mr. Niederinghaus, of St. Louis, is giving congress an object lesson by his display of American tinware, made since the enactment of the McKinley law, and for sale at about the prices heretofore fixed for the British article. THE INDEPENDENT suggests that the most effective campaign document that could be procured, for use when Major McKinley runs for governor, would be a bright tin cup, made out of American tin and fashioned by American hands.

a potent influence. It might be carrying the idea to an extreme, but it would please a great many people, if the Toledo banquet service were all of tin, and American tin, at that. With Major McKinley replying to Grover Cleveland, after a dinner, set out on American tin, the unity of the thing would be complete.

TWO PICTURES.

Cable Dispatch. From Free Trade England.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Yesterday afternoon 200 tattered hunger-pinned men marched a long way to the Thames embankment, but their stomachs were too empty for fight. This afternoon there have been scores of meetings of the unemployed. Flags and revolutionary emblems were plenty, and each meeting gathered round a banner bearing the inscription, "We demand the right to labor, and don't intend to starve." The distress in some provincial towns is said to be greater than in London. At Newcastle-on-Tyne there are said to be "four miles of underground dwellings with dripping wet walls, places into which the light never comes except when filtered through a dark medium," in which live workingmen and their families.

ALLIANCE IMPOSED UPON.

A Great Disturbance About the Last Appraisement.

The Alliance Review is in a state of mind because of the late decennial appraisement, and this is what it says:

"The total appraisement in Stark county reached \$28,001,732, a gain of \$5,210,005 over the total of 1880, which was \$22,891,723. The following is the report for Stark county in detail:

Massillon.....\$7,890,445
Alliance.....2,280,975
Small towns.....1,267,150
County districts.....1,425,015
Total.....14,940,172

"Massillon has nearly twice the wealth of Alliance, and with a population of over 10,000 she should pay taxes on at least 50 per cent. more property than Alliance.

"The discrimination in favor of Canton is not so marked as in the case of Massillon, but using the \$2,000,000 valuation of Alliance as a basis, Massillon should at least be listed at \$3,000,000 and Canton at \$8,000,000.

"Massillon is nearly one-half larger, and Canton nearly four times larger than Alliance. Every one who is acquainted with the three towns, however, knows full well that in proportion to population Alliance is a poor town compared with her two big sisters. If these valuations stand unchanged, Alliance property holders will have to pay high taxes themselves, but will also assist in paying the taxes of Canton and Massillon property holders."

In the Mayor's Court. John Burke, a rolling mill man, appeared last evening and deposited \$4.60 for being drunk and disorderly Sunday evening.

Mrs. Geo. W. Rhodes filed an affidavit against her husband yesterday afternoon, and when he appeared in the evening, the mayor had been informed of the extent of his conduct and fined him \$10.60.

Lake Tasker and Ed. Lomady answered for their misconduct, as reported yesterday, and were each assessed \$5.35. Mrs. Jim Johnson's fine and costs were paid by some of her friends, she was released from the city prison, and went to Wooster, where she is employed in a hotel, on the evening train.

Order of Adelphi members are requested to attend the meeting this evening. Thirty-two to be initiated.

G. F. BRECKEL, President.

The want column continues to fulfil its destiny. Every day houses are rented, lots sold, situations obtained, help secured, lost articles recovered and articles found restored.

25 per cent. reduction on all holiday stock—books, albums, plush and leather goods, lamps, brass goods, etc. The Independent Company.

Catarrh is not a local but constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla to effect a cure.

Latest designs in ladies' small-sized gold watches at C. F. Von Kanel's.

Country dried apples, peaches and apple-butter at A. J. Wire's.

The want column is authority on "situations and help wanted."

Sure results follow by having your "made known."

Solid tub oysters 35c per quart at Albright & Co.'s.

PUBLIC BUILDING SITES.

A COMMITTEE REPORT HEARD BY THE COUNCIL.

Special Tax Ordinances Introduced—Dr. Miller Objects to the Closing of Certain Sewer Vents—The Water Rate Investigating Committee.

The council convened last evening at 7 o'clock, Messrs. Dangler, Strobel and Len being absent.

The street commissioner's report for the weeks ending Jan. 10 and 17, amounts respectively, \$30,750, \$30,30 were accepted and the sum credited to his account.

The following ordinances were introduced:

To assess a special tax of 39 cents per foot on all lands abutting South Erie street, between Chester and Dwight streets, for the payment of the lateral sewer, the amount to be paid within ten days to the city clerk, or one-third in ten days, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, with interest.

To assess a special tax of 85 cents per foot for the payment of the South Erie street sewer, from Oak to Chester streets, to be paid to the city clerk within ten days, or one-third in ten days, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, with interest.

The committee appointed to select a site for a city building, reported that they had obtained options on the following properties: The Mary McLain Russell property, from Diamond Alley to city property in Park Row, \$8,000.00; D. C. Bunnell property, South Erie street, \$12,000.00; Zeppli property, corner of Mill and Charles streets, \$6,500.00; F. Loeffler property, corner of Tremont and Erie streets, \$10,000.00; John G. Warwick property, in North Erie street, known as the White mill, \$3,500.00 Mr. Hering moved, and it was agreed to, that the report be accepted and the matter laid over until next meeting.

A resolution by Mr. Clutz: That the proposition made by Russell & Co., in relation to Wettmore street, be accepted and the solicitor be instructed to prepare the proper papers and have them signed. Adopted.

Health Officer Miller being present, addressed the council, stating that the board of health would object to the closing of the manholes in the East Main street sewer as recommended by the engineer. He said that by doing so the gas which should escape through the manholes, would pass through the dwellings connected with the sewer, and would cause sickness and death. The more vents the sewer had, the better for the health of the city, and if properly flushed so that decomposition could not take place until the matter reached the point of final discharge, the offensive smell would disappear.

Mr. Clutz stated that neither Mr. Daniel nor Mr. F. H. Snyder could accompany him on his trip, he would ask the council to appoint someone else. President Schlagel appointed Mr. Hering.

BILLS PAID.

Le Limbach.....\$61.05
Independent Company.....22.93
A. D. Miller.....80.00
John B. Russell.....93.70
James J. Hoover.....8.75
David Atwater.....8.65
John B. Bunnell.....8.65
Massillon Gas Company.....3.00
E. W. Bushy.....8.25
Ed. Hering.....5.00
Clementz, Jr.119.23
Total.....\$28,001,732

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

BILL Introduced to Oust Ed. Stevens of Tin Tag Fame—Another Election Bill Introduced—Many Other Bills.

MISSING HIS FOOTING.

James Burkhardt Falls from the Sixth Story of a New Building.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 20.—James Burkhardt, a bricklayer, fell from the sixth story of the new Chittenden hotel yesterday afternoon. He was employed on the building, and, having finished his day's work, had started to descend by way of a short ladder from the roof to the floor of the sixth story. He missed his footing and dashed through the elevator shaft, eighty-five feet to the ground. He was alive and conscious when reached by his companions, but it is thought his injuries will prove fatal.

Business Embarrassment. The jewelry store of S. S. Hathaway was closed late this afternoon to satisfy a chattel mortgage for \$2,300, held by Dr. C. F. Porter. A claim for \$500, held by a Chicago firm, is also nearly due and in the hands of a local attorney for collection. The Hathaway brothers are deserving of the sympathy of all who are familiar with their commendable business career, and the hope will be universal that they may recover from their financial embarrassment.

Mr. Schlegel prohibiting city councils from amending the charters of natural gas companies, so as to permit the companies to increase the price charged for gas.

Mr. Motter amending the election laws so as to include the selection of boards of elections shall be appointed by the mayor.

Mr. McHermott, permitting township supervisors of roads to do work on the national road under direction of the county commissioners.

Mr. Price, amending laws governing the penitentiary so as to provide that contractors at the penitentiary should make settlement with the state on the first of each month, and that the state will receive not less than \$1.50 per day for skilled labor and 75 cents per day for unskilled labor.

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Mr. Green, amending the law relating to garnishments so as to include among those entitled to exemption the wife of a widow whose husband died dependent upon her support and also the relative supporting the minor child of a deceased parent.

Mr. Wanzer, authorizing the adjutant general to loan arms and equipment to camps of the Sons of Veterans.

Mr. Beuter, authorizing the village of Urichville to issue \$13,000 in bonds to secure the construction of railway shops.

Mr. Cutler, providing for the election of railroad agents, telegraph commissioners, and superintendent of insurance.

Mr. Cutler, amending the jury law so as to provide for a verdict in civil cases by a three-fourths vote.

Mr. McElvey, authorizing St. Clairsville to issue \$10,000 in bonds to erect an electric light

A CITIZEN'S SYMPOSIAC.

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I'm a little afraid that adjoining property owners could restrain the city from erecting a building in the park. No, I do not think that municipal corporations should build theaters.

Tobias Schott—I, too, want to see street cars and good streets before a city hall.

E. S. Craig—I want to see one built, and the park is the right location for it. A ground floor theatre should be included.

Herman Marks—if one is needed, it should be built. Favor the Zeph property.

REGARDS IT AS A LUXURY.

Leonard Schworm—I don't think we are greatly in need of a city building.

H. Suh—Am in favor of a new engine house, but not a city hall.

E. J. Werner—we should have had one long ago, and the sooner it is built the better it will be for the reputation of the city. Favor the Warwick property on North Erie street.

J. C. Haring—Always have been in favor of public improvements and include this project. Feel that the Zeph corner is the best location.

Frank C. Sibila—it's needed and we ought to have it. The Bunnell property, it seems to me, would be the most desirable location.

Joseph Corns—the first business of this city is to get good paved streets, then go ahead with reasonable improvements.

A PRESSING PUBLIC NEED.

John B. Russell—we need a public building the worst kind of a way. If the park can be used for the purpose that's the site.

Dick Powell—I am in favor of the building, and think the Warwick mill property, North Erie street, would be the desirable site; its cheapness commends it. Jas. Peacock—Favor it and prefer the Park row site.

Jas. H. Hunt—Favor of the building, and prefer Park row.

Chas. Steese—Probably ought to have a city building. Consider the Warwick mill property on North Erie street the best location, and it is the cheapest.

I. M. Taggart—I'd rather see the same money devoted to getting new shops to locate here.

THE PARK IS THE PLACE.

Frank Willenborg—we should use the park for this purpose and have an opera house on the ground floor. Every thing in first class style while we're doing it.

Frank Albright—I'm in favor of any improvement that improves. The park is the place for it.

Harry Pocock—Yes, and we want a theatre in it.

C. Siebold—I would like to see more shops before we get a new city hall. Of course, a public building would be a fine thing, and a theatre on the ground floor would keep down the interest, and cost of maintenance.

Z. T. Baltzly—not in favor of it at this time. Let's wait and see what comes of bonding the city for manufacturing enterprises.

Harmon Shriyer—we can get along without it. I prefer not to make any more expenses.

Peter Gribble—I am in favor of the project; it's something the city needs, and I would prefer a ground floor opera house and store rooms in connection with it.

If Mr. Coleman will join with me, I'll sell my share of the site corner of Main and Mill streets and exchange back to P. Street for the purpose.

H. V. Kramer—I say yes, and an opera house on the ground floor. Put it in the south end of the north park.

Chas. Young—Give us the building and put it on the Zeph corner.

MISSING HIS FOOTING.

If you need help,

THE MASSILLON DAILY INDEPENDENT.

Try the "Want" Column.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

MR. GORMAN TAKES ISSUE WITH THE VICE PRESIDENT.

The Matter Finally Dropped and the Elections Bill Taken Up, Mr. George addressing the Senate—Most of the Session of the House was Taken Up by Political Speeches and Assaults Upon the Speaker for Past Rulings—Only One Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—After the reading of the journal in the senate yesterday, Mr. Gorman proceeded to argue against the correctness of a decision of the vice President during Friday's session, to the effect that an appeal from that decision was not debatable, because the question itself on which the decision was made was not debatable. Mr. Gorman admitted that that rule, although in direct conflict with all the authorities, had obtained until 1884, when the rule was modified so as to make it conform to the general parliamentary law, and that under the charge made a question of order might be raised at any stage of a proceeding and should be decided without debate, subject to an appeal to the senate. An appeal taken on any subsequent question of order should be decided without debate. Mr. Edmunds contended that the decision of the chair, on the occasion referred to, was absolutely correct in point of parliamentary law. If the rule was as Mr. Gorman claimed, the senate might be

Kept in Session Indefinitely.

The discussion was continued until 12:30, when the consideration of morning business was proceeded with. Several bills were introduced and referred, and at 1 o'clock the elections bill was taken up. Mr. George addressed the senate in opposition to the measure. Mr. George yielded to Mr. Hoar, who moved that the adjournment be till 12 o'clock Tuesday, in order to give senators who desired to attend the funeral of Mr. Bancroft an opportunity to do so. Agreed to. Mr. George resumed the floor and explained and justified his own action in regard to the suffrage clause in the constitution of Mississippi. After having spoken five hours, he yielded the floor without having concluded his speech, and the senate, at 6 p.m., went into executive session and soon afterward adjourned.

Political Speeches in the House.

Mr. Eland, of Missouri, Monday, demanded the reading of Saturday's proceedings in full in the house, instead of in its abbreviated form. The journal being short, its reading consumed very little time. Then Mr. Mills, of Texas, moved an amendment to the journal relative to a refusal of the chair to recognize his motion to reconsider the vote by which Friday's journal was approved. Mr. Cannon demanded the previous question and was recognized by the speaker. A number of Democrats demanded the reading of Mr. Mills' amendment and it was so ordered. Mr. Springer then took the floor under the rule allowing forty minutes' debate after the ordering of the previous question and said that never before the first session of this congress had a motion to reconsider—a privileged motion—been denied by the presiding officer. In the last election, he was pleased to say, the honorable speaker had recognized the great principle of the

Right of the People to Rule.

The speaker had said in a speech in New York that this was a government of the people, by the people and for the people. Mr. Springer said the speaker had put before the people as a question to be considered his conduct in making his rulings, which he had demonstrated as the turning aside of the precedents of a hundred years, but which he hoped would be the making of precedents for the next hundred years. Speaker Reed then had several extracts from the journal read, showing that Mr. Randall, when speaker of the house, had refused to entertain appeals from his decisions. Mr. Springer retorted that Mr. Randall had been governed by the law, while the present speaker was governed by his will. Mr. McKinley said that nobody would deny that the motion made Saturday by Mr. Mills was purely dilatory and it was

The Duty of the Chair.

to refuse to entertain it. As to the result of the election, its result would be discussed before the people. When the Democrats had put in public law their own interpretation of their victory, the Republicans would go to the American people on the issues thus made and let the people determine in 1892 which side of the house should continue in control of the United States. Mr. E. B. Taylor, of Ohio, said he was totally opposed to all dilatory measures. He believed them to be wrong in principle, dangerous in their tendency, destructive of government by the people, treasonable in effect and oftentimes treasonable in purpose. Mr. Enloe, of Tennessee, inquired whether the gentleman, when in the minority, had not filibustered against measures of which he did not approve. The journal was then approved—yeas, 137; nays, 101. The speaker appointed Mr. Geary, of California, as a member of the committee on postoffices and post roads, and at 5:20 the house adjourned.

Two Hundred Pupils in Danger.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—Shaw's school, one of the public schools of this city, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. Two hundred and fifty children were in the building when the fire was discovered in the basement by the principal, Mrs. Mary Maurie. She ran to all the rooms, ordered recess, and in three minutes the school was emptied and not a child was hurt. Two minutes afterwards the flames had possession of the front of the school.

Victory for the Railway Company.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Appearances indicate that the strike of the Milwaukee and St. Paul road's operators will shortly end in victory for the railway company. General Manager Earling's chief clerk says that all but sixty-four of the men are back, and those still out are attempting to regain their old positions. At the strikers' headquarters it is admitted that a number of strikers have returned to work.

In Danger of Starvation.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 20.—A dispatch from Cape Race says the people of Trespassy, N. F., are in a very destitute condition and in danger of starvation. James Butler walked from Trespassy to Cape Race, a distance of forty miles, to obtain enough provisions to keep his

THE INAUGURAL PAGEANT.

Programme of the Ceremonies and the Manner of Installing the New State Officials.

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 20.—Complete arrangements have been made for the inauguration of Governor Pattison today. The legislative committee have given out the following programme: The governor, governor-elect, the lieutenant governor, the lieutenant governor-elect, the joint committee of the senate and house of representatives, heads of departments and other invited guests, will meet at the governor's mansion, to proceed thence to the capitol under the following escort: Chief marshal; Ringgold band, of Reading; Eighth regiment, N. G. P.; guard of honor, Governor's troop, the governor, the governor-elect, Hon. Silas M. Clark and Hon. Henry D. Green, chairman of the inaugural committee, in the first carriage, to be followed by other carriages containing officials and guests.

If the Weather Permits

the ceremonies will take place on the west portico of the capitol, otherwise in the hall of the house of representatives, as follows: Prayer by the Rev. S. C. Swallow, D. D.; reading of the certificate of election by the clerk of the senate; oath of office, administered by Hon. Silas M. Clark, judge of the supreme court of Pennsylvania; governor's salute by Arsenal battery; music; inaugural address; benediction; adjournment to the senate chamber; administering the oath to the lieutenant governor and secretary of internal affairs; address by the lieutenant governor-elect; review of the parade from the grand stand at 3 o'clock p.m.

THE PARDON GOVERNOR.

Title Earned by the Retiring Executive of Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Jan. 20.—Governor Taylor, who went out of office yesterday, has earned the title of the "pardon governor" and on Saturday pardoned eighteen men. The most notorious is Moskovitz, who was under life sentence for being accessory before the fact to the murder of Meyer Friedman in 1883. This was a noted case. Friedman was literally hacked to pieces with a hatchet by Tom Owens, a negro whom Moskovitz had hired to commit the crime. Moskovitz was in love with Friedman's wife and wanted to get the husband out of the way. Owens was twice tried and finally acquitted, so that for six years Moskovitz has been in prison for hiring Owens to commit a crime that a jury says he did not commit. The records show that Governor Taylor has during his four years pardoned eighty men under sentence strangled from death down to ten days and \$50 fine. The list of offences of which they were convicted includes every crime in the calendar.

M'GRATH MUST RETIRE.

More Charges Against the President of the Kansas Alliance.

TOPEKA, KAN., Jan. 20.—The resignation of Frank McGrath, president of the Kansas state alliance, will be requested either to-day or Wednesday by the executive council of that body. President McGrath was requested to bring before the committee an affidavit from Congressman Turner, Senator Berry and Congressman Perkins, exonerating him from any collusion with Republican leaders. These he either has not attempted to secure or has been unable to do so. A detective was then employed to investigate McGrath's record for the last three months, and it was his report to the committee which has resulted in the alliance president's temporary disgrace. He is charged with having had frequent consultations with Republican leaders, and having made expenditures from alliance funds which were not in the line of his duties as president.

OBSTRUCTIONS ON THE TRACK.

Fifteen Masked Men Held Up a Train on the Rio Grande Road.

BROWNSVILLE, TEX., Jan. 20.—At noon yesterday the train on the Rio Grande railroad between here and Point Isabel was wrecked and robbed by fifteen masked men. They placed obstructions on the track, derailed the train, held up the passengers and got away with about \$30,000 in Mexican money, which was en route for shipment at Brazos by the steamboat Morgan to New Orleans. The ship's mail was also taken and passengers robbed of money and valuables. A brakeman was badly injured in the wreck. The sheriff and a posse are out scouring the country for a trace of the robbers, who are doubtless now safe in Mexico.

Father and Son Killed.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 20.—A father and son met death together yesterday, at Turtle Creek, on the Pennsylvania railroad. Jacob Walker, aged 49, and his son, Harry, aged 16, were returning from work at the Edgar Thomson works, when they were struck by a train and killed.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The latest advices received at London from China shows that there is no improvement in the state of affairs in that disturbed republic.

Sadulla Pacha, the Turkish ambassador to Austria, who on Thursday last attempted to commit suicide in Vienna, died Monday from his self-inflicted injuries.

Sigmar Luca Francia, a New York banker, is entwined with a challenge to the hair-cutting, shooting, etc., contest against Julius Barber, late president of the Journeyman Barbers' National Union of America, the match to be for \$500 to \$1,000 a side, and Richard K. Fox to hold the stake money.

A dispatch from Rio Janeiro says that the constituent assembly, acting in accord with the government, has voted affirmatively on those articles of the new Brazilian constitution regarding federal organization and the powers of the legislative, executive and judicial departments of the new Republic.

A statistical report from Berlin shows that school children have committed suicide in the six years ending 1889. The most probable cause of suicide in the elementary schools, where they have occurred more numerous, is the fear of punishment, to which the death of forty-five boys and twenty-three girls is attributed. In the high schools, disappointment at the results of examinations claimed the largest number of victims.

Weather Forecast.

For Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia: Warmer; fair, except light snows or rains on the Siouan Indian reservation in Dakota and

TREACHEROUS WHITES.

They Wantonly Murdered Old Few Tails and Party.

This Came Near Ruining Gen. Miles' Plans and Stampeding the 5,000 Hostiles—He was the Only Hereditary Chief in the Sioux Nation and the Most Powerful Leader among His People—The Situation Has Become Quite Complicated and Additional Rations Ordered.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY, S. D., Jan. 20.—When the treacherous whites in Bear Butt county wantonly murdered old Few Tails last week and wounded his squaw they committed an outrage that came near ruining Gen. Miles' plans and stampeding the 5,000 hostiles who are in camp here. Few Tails was a relative of Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Horses, the only hereditary chief in the Sioux nation, and the most powerful leader among his people. Few Tails' wounded squaw arrived here yesterday and almost instantly there was a commotion in the hostile camp. The scouts reported the situation to Gen. Miles, who immediately sent runners after Young-Man. When the chief appeared at headquarters and learned of the ingratitude of the whites for the heroic work he had been doing in their behalf he refused to be pacified, and it took all the diplomacy at the command of Gen. Miles to finally win back the

Good Will of the Outraged Chief. The situation has become so complicated that the quartermaster has ordered twenty days' additional rations and the troops that were expected to come to the agency for a grand review have been ordered to remain in camp. This order for rations is as heavy as any that has been issued since the war began. Few Tails was not only a relative of Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Horses, but a brother of Big Road, one of the most powerful sub-chiefs at Pine Ridge. Big Road said yesterday that eighty cowboys had slaughtered the little band as they were returning unarmed from an eagle hunt, bearing with them Gen. Miles' pass permitting them to be off the reservation, and that the squaw of Few Tails was the only survivor.

JEALOUSY THE CAUSE.

Wilbur F. Barker Shoots His Wife Five Times and Escapes.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Wilbur F. Barker, teacher at the Bassett street public school, was shot five times yesterday by her husband in the class room. He drove to the school in a sleigh, with their 16-months-old child in his arms, walked into his wife's class room and said: "Is this the way you take care of your child?" Mrs. Barker went into the hallway. Her husband followed and fired two shots at her. She reached another class room and then fell on the floor. Barker put the baby on the floor and leaning over his wife fired at her several times, five shots taking effect. Barker then drove rapidly away. The couple have been married about two years, and jealousy on Barker's part is the supposed cause of the tragedy. They only lived together a short time after their marriage. Mrs. Barker was shot three times in the head and face, once through the left hand and once through the left thigh. Barker is about 50 years old and his wife about 30.

THE NICELYS MUST HANG.

The Death Warrants Signed Yesterday by Governor Beaver.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 20.—The death warrants of David and Joseph Nicely, the Somerset county murderers, were signed yesterday by Governor Beaver. They will be hanged on Thursday, April 2, 1891.

Machine Miners Refuse a Reduction.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Jan. 20.—Two hundred machine miners in the Jackson Hill mine, in Sullivan county, went out on strike yesterday. They refused to accept a cut of 50 cents per day. The mine was only recently opened by a company, at the head of which is President D. J. Mackey, of the Evansville and Terre Haute railroad. The strike promises to be a stubborn one.

RUMOR CAUSED RUIN.

A Bank Failure and Great Excitement at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—The failure of the American National bank, of this city, was announced yesterday. Early in the day runs began on two prominent financial institutions here in consequence of rumors affecting their standing. Rumors and reported failures have created a panic in commercial circles, and other heavy crashes in business are feared.

Commanding the Action of Secy. Noble.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Secy. Noble has received a communication from the Catholic missionaries at the Standing Rock Agency commanding his action in upholding Major James McLaughlin, the Indian agent there, who they assert has for many years led the Indians peaceably on the road of civilization and has won their confidence so thoroughly that none would do better in his place. They strongly urge his retention. They report everything quiet among the Indians, who are well satisfied with their condition and treatment.

Boomers to Invade the Cherokee Strip.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Jan. 20.—Advices from the northern border of the Cherokee strip are to the effect that the movement to invade the strip is assuming vast proportions. Jan. 29 has been set as the day for the general invasion, but at present the boomers are going into the strip every day in large numbers for the purpose of picking out their claims. At one point 1,000 boomers have assembled and are anxiously awaiting the much longed-for signal to enter the date for beginning the trial.

Pottery Employes Strike.

FINDLAY, O., Jan. 20.—The employees of the Bell Pottery company, of this city, went on strike yesterday afternoon because of a reduction in wages. One hundred men and women are out.

President Harrison Grants a Pardon.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 20.—President Harrison has pardoned John M. McKee, received from Toledo, Jan. 3, 1890, on five years' sentence for embezzling funds of a national bank.

American Quail for Germany.

DAYTON, O., Jan. 20.—Quail are being wintered in coops here from which a dozen pair are to be sent in March by friends to Dr. William F. Egry, of Oberkirchen, Germany, to gratify his desire for the honor of introducing American quail in that country. He will do this by first stocking his own lands with the Ohio birds. Dr. Egry was a surgeon in the United States army during the Mexican war, lived in Dayton for many years, and is passionately fond of all field sports. Two years ago he bought a brace of well-trained Irish setter dogs which were sent to him from Dayton.

Saloons' Probable Fatally Injured.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Jan. 20.—Governor-elect John P. Buchanan was inaugurated governor of Tennessee in the hall of the house of representatives at noon yesterday. Governor Buchanan was formerly president of the State alliance, but was elected to his present office on a Democratic platform.

To Approve Miles' Recommendations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Indian Commissioner Morgan said yesterday that the interior department would approve the recommendation of Gen. Miles that the Cheyenne Indians, now in Pine Ridge, be removed to their own reservation. The change will be made in the interest of peace.

To Revoke a Gas Company's Charter.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 20.—An ordinance was introduced in the city council of Columbus to revoke the charter of the natural gas company because they had failed to supply gas. At the request of the company a committee was appointed to investigate the company's wells,

to which the death of forty-five boys and twenty-three girls is attributed. In the high schools, disappointment at the results of examinations claimed the largest number of victims.

Weather Forecast.

The ATKINSON Bill Signed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The president yesterday signed the Atkinson bill to increase the terminal facilities of the Baltimore and Potomac railroad in Washington; also the bill to divide the Sioux Indian reservation in Dakota and

JOHN JACOB ASTOR AND MRS. WILLING.

Engagement of John Jacob Astor and Miss Willing.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Notwithstanding the denial by Mrs. William Astor, a few days ago, of the report that her son, John Jacob Astor, was engaged in marriage to Miss Willing, of Philadelphia,

the engagement has been formally announced.

It will be remembered that the denial was given in Mrs. Astor's own handwriting and was in these words: "The report should be at once contradicted."

The report of the formal announcement was published in The Herald yesterday, and was later confirmed by Mrs. Astor in person.

This apparent prevarication on the part of the acknowledged leader of New

York society is easily explained. It

will be observed that her denial was carefully and cleverly worded—"the report should be at once contradicted"

—for the reason that her husband was abroad and his sanction to the match had not been secured. Since then the mail was brought from Europe, William Astor's written consent and blessing and the formal announcement followed immediately. Thus Pennsylvania

obtains a new interest in the Astor millions, while New York society is

eagerly discussing its leader's elasticity of conscience in dealing with facts.

Birthday Anniversary of Gen. R. E. Lee.

RICHMOND, VA., Jan. 20.—The anniversary of the birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee was celebrated here yesterday

for the first time since it was made a legal holiday in Virginia by the legislature.

Any and every "want"

THE MASSILLON DAILY INDEPENDENT.

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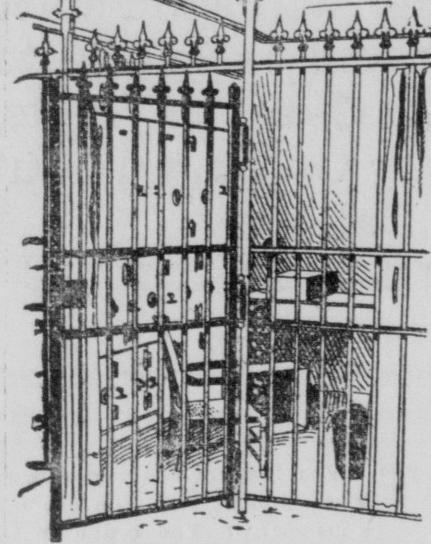
STRONG BOXES THESE.

PLACES WHERE NEW YORK CROSES STORE THEIR VALUABLES.

The Hard Money of the United States, Where Is It?—Why, in the Vaults Here Described, and Locked in, Too, with Wonderful Locks.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The bankers, the government officers and the men who control the clearing house in New York have been doing a great deal of figuring lately, that they may discover what becomes of a good deal of the hard money of the United States. They know just how much gold and silver has been coined, how much is held by the treas-



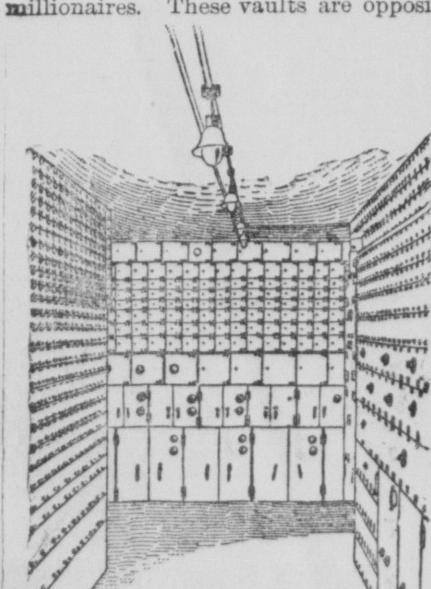
WHERE THE VANDERBILT TREASURE IS. A cut showing a large safe or vault door with multiple locks and a heavy frame.

ury department and how much by the banks, and they have discovered that between the actual amount coined or in existence and that which can be accounted for there is a discrepancy of some fifty or sixty millions of dollars. The secretary of the treasury, Mr. Winding, Jay Gould, Russell Sage and the president of the New York clearing house all assert that it will be useless to try to hunt for this missing amount of gold, because it is all hidden away by timid men who put their faith in gold alone, and who want it where they can get it, and by misers throughout the country who are hoarding it in stockings or old trunks.

The greatest amount of gold, probably, is hoarded right in New York city, and in places where burglars can neither break through and steal, nor moth and rust corrupt. Nothing short of an earthquake or the conquest of New York by a foreign power could get this gold from the place where it is securely hidden. It is stowed away in the mysterious vaults of various safe deposit companies, and no one except he who has put it in its hiding place knows where it is or how to get at it.

Gold is carried into the vaults secretly, but within the past six months a vast amount of silver bars has been lodged in one of the safe deposit vaults, and put there openly in the view of thousands who pass up and down Broadway. It is taken on trucks, like a load of pig iron, and is handled as carelessly, for its weight would make it impossible for anything to carry away a bar without detection.

Besides these hoardings, these vaults contain the accumulated wealth of a personal nature of all the millionaires of New York city. They no longer leave their stocks and bonds in their office or house safes, but take them to the vaults. In many of the vaults are kept the family jewels and the expensive plate of gold and silver—this last being taken to the homes whenever an entertainment is to be given, and returned at once to its place of safety in the vaults. Hundreds of millions of dollars are kept in these places of security, and some most interesting tales might be told of the customs of men of wealth in visiting the vaults and counting their wealth. Probably the most interesting place is the vaults of the deposit company which contain the enormous wealth of the Vanderbilts, in stocks and bonds, and much of that of Jay Gould, Russell Sage, the Astors, ex-Mayor Grace and many other men known as New York's millionaires. These vaults are opposite



THE HIDING PLACE OF UNTOLD WEALTH, the headquarters of the New York Central railroad on Forty-second street, and were built under the eye of William H. Vanderbilt.

In the accompanying cut is a representation of what is known as "the Vanderbilt corner" of these vaults. When William H. Vanderbilt, or when his sons—Cornelius, William K. and Frederick—desire to add to or take from their enormous deposits of stocks they are admitted into the prisonlike compartment which is indicated by the massive bars. When inside the door is shut and locked, and they are virtual prisoners. They cannot get out until an attendant opens the door, but no burglar, assassin or thief could get in. The chair indicated is a representation of the one which William H. Vanderbilt caused to be placed there, and at a little table beyond he used frequently to count his massive pile of stocks and bonds. The compartments are indicated by the numbers over the smaller doors within.

William H. Vanderbilt was not so se-

cute in examining his wealth as are his sons. He used to open one of the doors, draw out a great pile of bonds, spread them on the table before him, and in full view of the attendants, and make his computations, half muttering to himself as he did so, or else cut off his coupons by a nervous snap of a large pair of shears which he kept in the desk. The large compartment within now contains much of the wealth of Cornelius Vanderbilt, and the one adjoining it many of the millions of William K. A smaller compartment nearer the floor contains the fortune of the student, George Vanderbilt, and he, of late, has been one of the frequent visitors, as he has been drawing on his fortune to build his luxurious place in the mountains of North Carolina. About once in so often the Vanderbilt boys, averaging six times a year, visit the vaults to deposit new bonds and stocks, representing accessions to their wealth.

In this corner alone there is property representing not far from \$300,000,000. It was in this golden cell that William H. Vanderbilt wrote his famous check for \$6,000,000—the largest individual check ever given up to that time. After he had written it he said to a financier who was with him, representing the original West Shore interests, "I could duplicate that check at this moment, if necessary," showing that at that time he had \$12,000,000 at least in cold cash.

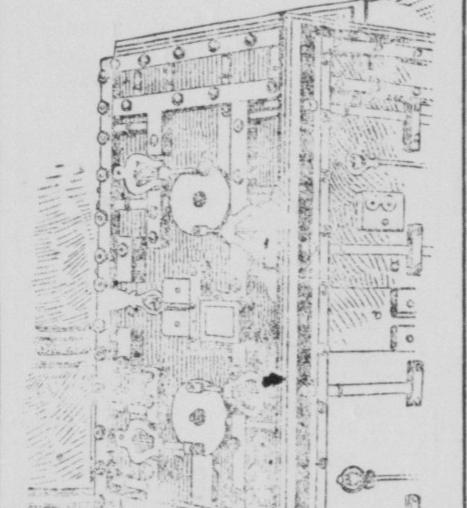
The accompanying cut represents another dark cell in this safe deposit company's vaults, containing a large number of small boxes rented to individuals, who alone hold the keys, as well as some larger boxes. The large box in the lower right hand corner is always hired by Adelina Patti when she is in this country. She usually stays at a neighboring hotel, and the first thing she does after the vexations of the custom house are ended is to take her jewels to this vault.

At her last visit here she brought jewels valued at \$800,000, and these were deposited in this box, which is made of chilled steel, within twelve hours after her arrival.

When she was to appear in opera or in concert she sent her trusted servant, accompanied by a policeman, to the vault and he selected the jewels which she desired to wear on that evening. After the opera was over the jewels were deposited in the safe of the hotel over night, and as early as possible in the morning were sent back under guard to the vault. But strangely enough when Patti started on her tour through the country she left her jewels in this place of safety,

GOULD'S MILLIONS SAFE.

His Sons will Not Risk Them on the Race Course.



A WONDERFUL DOOR.

which causes a suspicion to arise that her ornaments elsewhere in the country possessed little intrinsic value.

The large box just above the Patti box was hired by Marie Hulton, the opera singer, who caused a sensation a year or two ago by quitting the stage without notice and eloping with a diamond merchant of London. She returned in some six months and went again upon the stage. The day after her return she hired this box, and deposited in it jewels which she thought were worth a hundred thousand dollars. These jewels were kept there during her engagement, and it was a delight to the attendant to see this pretty and vivacious woman occasionally call, demand admittance into this golden cell, that she might take a look at her jewels and add to them some crisp new bonds, representing her increasing wealth.

Lillian Russell has one of the smaller boxes, but she does not visit it very often. Side by side with Patti's box is one in which a good deal of Jay Gould's wealth is placed. This wizard of finance occasionally comes in a timid, modest sort of way, and opening his box takes from it a bundle of bonds or stocks and then retires to a secret compartment, which is not indicated in the picture, where for some moments the exhilarating noise of scissors clipping coupons is to be heard. Ex-Mayor Grace has a box on the same side, as have Russell Sage, Commodore Van Santvoort and William Waldorf Astor. This vault is so strong and so absolutely burglarproof that the light of day never penetrates it. It is lighted by electricity.

The entrance to these great vaults is guarded by a door of exquisite workmanship, most intricate in construction and so massive as to be able to withstand even a discharge of artillery. It is indicated in the picture. On a recent visit to New York Cardinal Gibbons, being desirous to see the place where such enormous stores of wealth were kept, was shown these vaults, the Vanderbilt chair and desks and boxes of distinguished persons. But what interested the cardinal most was this door. He stood for some moments surveying it with admiration, and then said to Postmaster General James, who is the chief officer of the institution, "It makes me think of the old couplet, which I will take the liberty of slightly changing:

"Man's ingenuity for man
Makes countless burglars mourn."

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GOVERNOR HILL CALLED.

THE JOINT CAUCUS NOMINATE HIM FOR SENATOR.

All of the State Officials and Others were Present—Speaker Sheehan Made a Nice Address, and, After Other Speeches, Moved the Nomination by Acclamation, which was Carried—Senator Evans Unanimously Renominated by the Republican Caucus.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The Democratic joint caucus to nominate a United States senator was called to order in the assembly chamber shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. All of the Democratic state officials and others were present. Nominations being in order, Speaker Sheehan said: "The Democratic party to-day proposes to signalize the great victory of November last by nominating for senator in congress a leader of genius and courage, a statesman of breadth and capacity, a man who more than any other contributed to Democratic supremacy. When victory seemed impossible, when defeat stared us in the face, there was one voice above all others that penetrated the heart of the people, one who stood in the front of battle, heedless of personal or political consequences, encouraging with his presence and convincing with his eloquent tongue, the electorate of our land. It is only by rewarding men who battle for Democratic principles in darkness as well as in sunshine that our party deserves to succeed." After other speeches, Mr. Sheehan moved Governor Hill's nomination by acclamation, which was carried, and the caucus adjourned.

SENATOR EVANS RENOMINATED.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The Republican caucus was called to order in the session chamber at 6 o'clock by Senator Vedder, who said that by a mysterious dispensation of Providence a change had been made not unprecedented, but one from which the American people had always risen and from which the Republican party would rise now. Senator Fassett, in placing the name of William M. Evarts before the caucus, said: "At all times Senator Evarts has been loyal and devoted to the best traditions of the Republican party. Scandal had never stained the ermine of his reputation and his strength was never drawn from questionable sources. Senator Evarts was unanimously renominated.

GOULD'S MILLIONS SAFE.

His Sons will Not Risk Them on the Race Course.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Since the death of August Belmont two reports have been circulated, the significance of which was the proposed debut of Jay Gould's family as prominent figures on the turf. The first report was to the effect that Mr. Gould's youngest son was to purchase Mr. Belmont's entire stable. Mr. Gould's youngest son is but 10 years old, and the famous stable was later sold at auction. The next report was that George Gould, the oldest son, proposed to purchase the nursery stud, including St. Blaise, and the entire list of brood mares owned by the late banker and located on his farm in Kentucky. George Gould denied emphatically that he had any such intention, and added that he cared nothing for the turf or race horses. This seems to remove Jay Gould's millions from the possibilities of the track.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF FIREMEN.

The Executive Committee of the State Association Considering Two Bills.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 20.—The executive committee of the State Firemen's association is in session here. The committee is now considering two bills to be submitted to the legislature. One proposes that 1 per cent. of the 2 per cent. tax imposed on foreign insurance companies on premiums collected in this state be set aside for the pensioning of firemen who have been disabled in the service, and the other looks to the establishment of an insurance system in the interest of disabled firemen.

FEELS BETTER.

"Are you happier since your second marriage?" he asked of his friend as they rode down town on a Broadway car.

"Oh, much happier."

"Then it was a case of love?"

"Exactly, the same as with my first, but there is this difference—I feel more settled."

"In your mind?"

"Yes, and all other ways. It was never quite clear in my first venture who ran the house, but in this case everything is plain sailing and no occasion for dispute."

"She knuckled, eh?"

"Oh, no; she's boss."—New York Sun.

A TRICK THAT DID NOT WORK.

Conjurer.—You see, ladies and gentlemen, the dollar has vanished. We shall soon find out where it has gone. You, honest countryman, over there, just put your hand in your coat pocket! I bet you'll find the dollar.

Peasant.—No; I've only got two marks and eight pfennig!

"Impossible. You must have the dollar!"

"No, I haven't! That was a dollar you put in my pocket a while ago, but I've been out to have a drink since then."

Tableau.—General Zeiger.

His Great Need.

Parent.—You wish to marry my daughter?

Suitor.—Yes, sir; that is the object of my visit.

"What means of support have you?"

"I have no actual cash, but I have something very profitable almost in view."

"Then what you need is not a wife so much as a spy glass."—Black and White.

IT WAS POSSIBLE.

A traveler who was known to exaggerate once related at an inn how he, along with two others, made 150 of the enemy run.

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